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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated September 14, 2005, given in the above-identified Application for Letters Patent. Applicant believes that no fees are due on account of this communication; however, should this prove incorrect, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all necessary fees to CNH America LLC Deposit Account 14-0780.

Election/Restriction begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.

Election/Restriction

Applicant elects to prosecute the invention of Group I, claims 1-14, Figs. 1-7. Applicant does not traverse the election requirement. Claims 15-20 are withdrawn from this application and will be the subject of a future divisional application.